1	2	3	4	5	6
21. Sikkim		22.5	47+	23.7	NA
22.	Tamil Nadu	20.3	54	51.7	2.1
23.	Tripura	18.9	45+	26.3	NA
24.	Uttar Pradesh	34.8	86	37.2	5.2
25.	West Bengal	23.6	58	34.2	3.0
Union Territories					
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	18.7	32+	40.9	NA
2.	Chandigarh	19.5	42+	38.3	NA
3.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	29.7	78+	35.6	NA
4.	Daman & Diu	21.8	36+	36.8	NA
5.	Delhi	23.3	39+	3 3.9	NA
6.	Lakshade ep	25.5	37+	9.6	NA
7.	Pondichery	20.1	25+	65.7	NA

Source: Col (3) and (4), Sample Registration System (SRS) data for 1995. Col (6) SRS data for 1993. Col (5) Programme Data.

NA: Not Available.

- * : Figures related to SRS 1994.
- + : Three year moving average (1993-95).

[Translation]

Survey of Houses of Kashmiri Pandits

2236. SHRI SUSHIL CHANDRA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any survey has been conducted regarding the displaced Kashmiri Pandits;
- (b) if so, the number of houses of Kashmiri Pandits lying vacant;
- (c) the number of such houses illegally occupied by other people;
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to evict these houses from the illegal possessions; and
- (e) whether the Union Government propose to provide any economic assistance for reconstruction of these houses of Kashmiri Pandits if damaged?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY

- OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI S.R. BALASUBRAMONIYAN): (a) to (c) As per information made available by the State Government, there are 19,288 houses of Kashmiri migrants in the Valley out of which 13,840 are lying vacant. Of the remaining houses, some are occupied by the security forces and rent, as fixed by the State Government, is given to the owners. There are also some cases of illegal occupation of these houses.
- (d) The Government of J&K have enacted 'The Jammu and Kashmir Migrants Immovable Property (Preservation, Protection and Restraint of Distress Sales) Act, 1997 on 2.6.1997, which provides for taking over of properties of migrants by the District Magistrate concerned. Provision has been made to take necessary action for eviction of illegal occupants. The Act also provides for payment of compensation to the owner which will be charged from the unauthorised occupant.
- (e) The Government of India will provide all necessary and possible assistance, to the State Government in this regard.

[English]

Development of Slums

2237. SHRI G.A. CHARAN REDDY: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether six slums are being developed under Slum Improvement Project of the British aided Overseas Development Authority in Andhra Pradesh;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether more funds were sanctioned by Overseas Development Authority for the development of other slums in Andhra Pradesh;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and work undertaken so far; and
- (e) the time by which the slum under the Slum Development Projects in the State are likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (DR. U. VENKATESWARLU): (a) and (b) The Overseas Development Authority is supporting three slum improvement projects in Andhra Pradesh. Details are given in enclosed Statement.

(c) No, Sir, but the Government of Andhira Pradesh